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Appointments to fill vacancies in subsidiary organs and other appointments: appointment of members of the International Civil Service Commission

Report of the Fifth Committee

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1. At its 2nd plenary meeting, on 16 September 2016, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the General Committee, decided to include in the agenda of its seventy-first session the item entitled "Appointments to fill vacancies in subsidiary organs and other appointments: appointment of members of the International Civil Service Commission" and to allocate it to the Fifth Committee.

2. At its 12th meeting, on 4 November 2016, the Fifth Committee had before it the following documents:

(a) Note by the Secretary-General concerning the vacancies in the membership of the International Civil Service Commission that would occur as a result of the expiration of the term of office of five of its members on 31 December 2016 (A/71/104);

(b) Note by the Secretary-General containing the names of five persons nominated by their respective Governments for appointment or reappointment to the International Civil Service Commission for a four-year term of office beginning on 1 January 2017 (A/C.5/71/7).

3. At the same meeting, the Committee decided, by acclamation, to recommend to the General Assembly that it appoint Larbi Djacta (Algeria), Mohammed Farashuddin (Bangladesh), Sergey V. Garmonin (Russian Federation), Wang Xiaochu (China) and El Hassane Zahid (Morocco) as members of the International Civil Service Commission for a four-year term of office beginning on 1 January 2017 (see para. 4).

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Recommendation of the Fifth Committee

4. The Fifth Committee recommends that the General Assembly appoint the following persons as members of the International Civil Service Commission for a four-year term of office beginning on 1 January 2017:

Larbi **Djacta** (Algeria)
Mohammed **Farashuddin** (Bangladesh)
Sergey V. **Garmonin** (Russian Federation)
Wang Xiaochu (China)
El Hassane **Zahid** (Morocco)